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HILLCREST GARDEN

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“WE BREED AND GROW GIANT
BLOOMS ONLY”

DR. A. B. SCOTT

FAIRMONT, WEST VA.

HILLCREST DAHLIAS

are grown in the hills of West Virginia, where the climate is ideal for Dahlia culture. The growing season is of nearly two hundred days. The days are hot and the nights are cool, a climatic condition which develops large tubers and matures the finest seeds.

The colors used in this brochure are taken from the latest Maerz and Paul Dictionary of Color.

The originations that we are offering are two and four year old seedlings. They have never been grown outside of the Hillcrest Gardens. Most of these introductions will be sent to the Storrs Trial Grounds next season. They are guaranteed, if properly fed, to grow giant blooms without the use of any nitrates.

Our tubers are excellent for propagation, as it is impossible to exhaust them. Our stock of these tubers is rather limited and orders will be filled in order in which they are received. When the supply is exhausted, checks will be immediately returned.

No seed for sale this year.

We will allow 33 1/3% discount on all items excepting those which are marked 'net'.

We will ship tubers any time requested, weather permitting.

No orders for plants accepted after March 1st.

Terms: Cash with order.

No.

1. **PRINCE OF PANTOPS, I. D.** A ruffled variety.
Color:—Orange-peel. Roots, \$3.00; Plants, \$1.50.
2. **BUBBLES OF HILLCREST, I. D.** The most unusual dahlia we have ever grown. Giant bloom. We do not guarantee this dahlia to produce tubers as the chlorophyll is very dark and it does not make starch necessary to make many or large tubers. All available tubers have been sold. We are offering a few plants.
Color:—An unusual shade of Magenta, as it cannot be found in Maerz and Paul. Plants only, \$5.00 Net.
3. **HILLCREST BIG BOY, F. D.**
Color:—Autumn Shade. Roots only, \$1.50
4. **HILLCREST CINDERELLA, I. D.** This dahlia like No. 2 is the opposite extreme of the chlorophyll and will not produce many tubers. Giant blooms.
Color:—Cameo Pink tipped with Cosmos.
Plants only, \$5.00
5. **GIRL OF HILLCREST, I. D.** Honor Roll dahlia.
A good winner at many shows all over the country.
Color:—Mikado Orange. Roots, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50
6. **THOMAS EDISON, F. D.**
Color:—Dark purple. Roots only, \$1.00 net.
7. **HILLCREST SWISS ROSE, I. D.**
Color:—Swiss Rose. Roots only, \$1.00 net.
8. **THE COMMODORE, I. D.** This is the largest dahlia we have ever grown. A consistent winner at shows during the past season. Scored 85 at Storrs and is an Honor Roll Dahlia.
Color:—Cadmium Yellow. Roots, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50.
9. **PRINCE OF PERSAI, I. D.** A splendid dahlia. One of the most admired in our field this year.
Color:—Artillery Red. Roots, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50.
10. **MYRA HOWARD, I. D.** Scored 87. We consider this one of the very few outstanding dahlias in the dahlia world.
Color:—Saffron yellow with tints of salmon.
Roots, \$7.50; Plants, \$3.75
11. **MABEL S. DOUGLAS, I. D.** A wonderful dahlia.
Color:—Pastel lavender. Plants only, \$1.00 net.

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13. **KATHLEEN NORRIS, I. D.**
Color:—Rose pink. Roots, \$2.00; Plants, \$1.00 net.
15. **PATRICIA ANN, F. D.**
Color:—Picric yellow and pink.
Roots, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50
16. **HILLCREST SUNSET, I. D.** Giant blooms. Long stems. No nitrate to be used on this dahlia.
Color:—Sunset. Roots, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50.
19. **HILLCREST JERRY, I. D.** We are offering this giant bloom to breeders to be used for interpollinating. A good pollen producer. The bloom is immense, the florets are twice as large as any dahlia bloom we have ever seen. This has been our main breeder for several years. Poor stems which cannot support the massive flower. A limited number of roots.
Color:—Lavender. Roots only, \$5.00 net.
20. **HILLCREST FLUFFY RUFFLES, I. D.** Another ruffled variety. Giant bloom, good stems.
Color:—Coral-bell. Roots, \$5.00; Plants, \$2.50.
22. **JEAN TRIMBEE, I. D.**
Color:—Petunia violet. Roots only, \$1.00 net.
27. **HILLCREST MANDARIN, I. D.** A bi-color. Very flashy and very large. On the (December) American Home Magazine Honor Roll.
Color: Pirate and Primrose with Amber reverse.
Roots, \$10.00; Plants, \$5.00
29. **SULTAN OF HILLCREST, F. D.** Very large and fine stems.
Color:—Strontian yellow with Sunrise yellow reverse.
Roots, \$10.00; Plants, \$5.00
41. **HILLCEST ROYALIST, I. D.** On the (December) American Home Magazine Honor Roll.
Color:—One shade of Indian Red with Clover reverse.
Roots, \$10.00; Plants, \$5.00

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If you should have anything else on your list, particularly the latest dahlias in the giant bloom class, the chances are that we will be able to supply plants.

